

# 2008 Regional Transit Summit

Envisioning Regional Transit's Future

Thursday, March 20, 8 am - 4 pm  
Wilshire Grand Hotel, Downtown Los Angeles



## AGENDA

- 8:00 am**      **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 9:00 am**      **Welcoming Remarks & Introduction of Master of Ceremonies**
- Hon. Gary Ovitt, SCAG President,  
Supervisor, San Bernardino County,  
4th District  
Hasan Ikhata, Executive Director,  
Southern California Association of  
Governments
- Master of Ceremonies – Norm King,**  
Founding Director, Leonard Transportation  
Center, California State University,  
San Bernardino
- 9:15 am**      **Regional Transit: Priorities, Opportunities,  
Challenges and Solutions: A Policy Perspective**
- Moderator- Eric Haley, Vice President,  
Germania Corporation**
- Hon. Lawrence Dale, Mayor, City of Barstow  
Hon. Keith Millhouse, Councilmember,  
City of Moorpark  
Hon. Chris Norby, Supervisor,  
Orange County, 4th District  
Hon. Bill Rosendahl, Councilmember,  
City of Los Angeles, District 11  
Hon. Terry Henderson, Councilmember,  
City of La Quinta  
Hon. Jon Edney, Councilmember,  
City of El Centro
- 10:30 am**      **Break**
- 10:45 am**      **Transit Funding – Risks & Opportunities**
- Moderator - Denny Zane, Executive Director,  
Los Angeles County Transit Funding  
Collaborative**
- Hon. Wendy Greuel, Councilmember,  
City of Los Angeles, District 2  
Hon. Pam O'Connor, Councilmember,  
City of Santa Monica  
Josh Shaw, Executive Director,  
California Transit Association

- Barney Allison, Partner,  
Nossaman Guthner Knox Elliott LLP  
David Crane, Special Advisor to the Governor  
for Jobs and Economic Growth
- 12:00 pm**      **Luncheon**
- Keynote Speaker - Hon. Antonio Villaraigosa,  
Mayor, City of Los Angeles**
- 1:00 pm**      **Land Use-Transit Connection: Next Steps**
- Moderator - Colleen Richter, Manager,  
Marketing & Sales, Metrolink**
- John Fregonese, President,  
Fregonese-Calthorpe  
Gail Goldberg, Director of Planning,  
City of Los Angeles  
Craig Morrow, Program Manager,  
TOD Program, Dept. of Housing and  
Community Development  
Ed Eyerman, Vice-President,  
Sales & Marketing, Sares Regis Corporation
- 2:15 pm**      **Break**
- 2:30 pm**      **Innovative Performance in Transit –  
A Business Approach**
- Moderator - Mark Stanley, Director of Planning,  
Riverside Transit Agency**
- David Duchscherer, Principal,  
Wendel Duchscherer Architects & Engineers  
Elizabeth Mahoney, Manager, Government &  
Regulatory Affairs, Metrolink  
Steve Callas, Coordinator,  
Service Performance & Analysis, Trimet  
Rita Robinson, General Manager, and  
Kang Hu, Senior Transportation Engineer,  
Los Angeles Department of Transportation
- 3:45 pm**      **Closing Remarks**
- Master of Ceremonies - Norm King**



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